

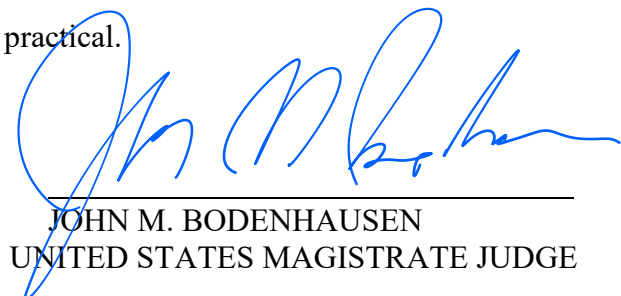
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
EASTERN DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE) No. 4:21 MJ 1087 (JMB)
INSTALLATION, ACTIVATION AND)
MONITORING OF CERTAIN)
ELECTRONIC TRACKING AND ENTRY) **FILED UNDER SEAL**
DETECTION DEVICES TO BE LOCATED)
IN A BAG DESCRIBED AS A BLACK)
DUFFEL BAG WITH AN ORANGE STRIP) SUBMITTED TO THE COURT AND
OF TAPE AFFIXED TO THE ZIPPER) SIGNED BY RELIABLE ELECTRONIC
CONTAINING A SUBSTANCE THAT) MEANS
RESEMBLES COCAINE.)

ORDER FOR SEALING

On motion of the United States of America, it is hereby ordered that the application, affidavit, warrant and this Order issued thereto be sealed until September 11, 2021, except for the limited purposes of providing same to defense counsel pursuant to Rules 12 and 16 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

This Order is based upon the sealed motion of the government establishing that: (a) the government has a compelling interest in sealing the documents in question which outweighs the public's qualified First Amendment right of access to review those documents; and (b) no less restrictive alternative to sealing is appropriate or practical.



JOHN M. BODENHAUSEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Dated: This 23rd day of April, 2021.